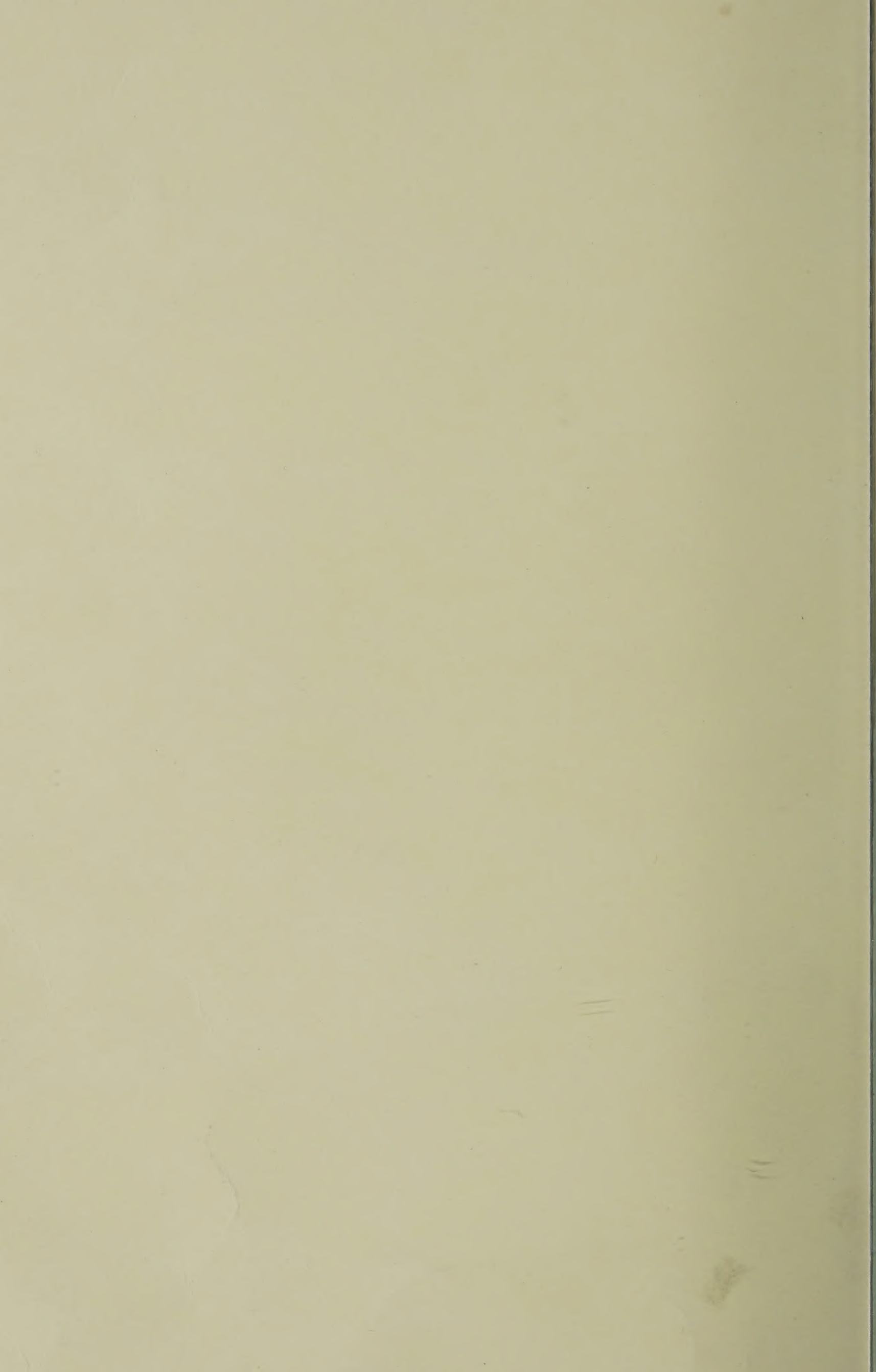


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Price List

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PRICE LIST OF GLADIOLUS BULBS FOR 1939

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As I have done for many years past, I present for 1939 a list of the better known varieties of Gladiolus, together with some of the better late introductions, and some highly advertised varieties, several as yet not thoroughly established as to value.

Vast improvements have been made in gladiolus varieties in the past few years, with many fine introductions, but many of little worth have also been foisted on the buyer. Name and propaganda may sell many a new variety, but this does not make quality and permanent value.

All the bulbs offered are home grown from either bulblets or year old stock. These bulbs are grown on rich brown sand, properly fertilized to produce fine bulbs with all their "pep" ahead of them. None of the bulbs offered have been "fed" to produce huge show blossoms.

A few good, cut-flower and exhibition varieties, well-grown, mean far more to the average garden lover than a large number of untried and indifferent sorts.

I try to select only varieties that are good, and will do well under all conditions. Varieties marked with an asterisk(*) rank first in their color class in either the Canadian or New England symposiums. Many of the others are in second place in these symposiums, while others are Champion Bloom in the larger shows.

The money saved by an inexpensive list of this type is passed on to the buyer, and may mean as many as a dozen bulbs in the average order.

SIZE: "L" indicates a bulb $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches or more in diameter; "M", a bulb $\frac{3}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter; "S", a bulb under $\frac{3}{4}$ inches in diameter.

PRICE: Indicated after the description of the bulb. Write for prices on very large orders, or for bulblets.

SHIPMENT: When wanted, weather permitting by safe postpaid delivery. Order now, pay before shipment time, or have your bulbs sent C. O. D.

INSPECTION: All bulbs offered have been field and bin inspected by the Ohio State Department of Agriculture, Division of Plant Industry.

LETTERS following the name of the variety in the list indicates the country in which the variety originated. The key to the letters: A-Australia; C-Canada; G-Germany; H-Holland; NZ-New Zealand; S-Scotland; US-United States.

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ADIRONDACK US. Large rich rose red. Color fine, attachment loose. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

ALAYNE US. Beautiful clear rose. L, 1-25¢.

ALBATROSS G. Large, tall pure white. Good. L, 2-10¢, 12-45¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-35¢; S, 12-20¢.

ANGELUS C. Pure pink, cream blotch. L, 1-\$1.25.

*BAGDAD C. Huge smoky old rose. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢.

*BEACON C. Salmon scarlet, large cream blotch. Very showy and appears outstanding. L, 1-25¢; M, 1-20¢; S, 1-10¢.

BEAUTIFUL OHIO US. Fine rose lavender. Originated by a neighbor, outstanding in color class. L, 1-30¢, 4-\$1.00; M, 1-20¢, 6-\$1.00; S, 1-15¢, 8-\$1.00.

BEOWOLF US. Tall rich mauve lavender. ,
 L, 1-\$1.00; S, 1-35¢, 4-\$1.00.
 *BETTY NUTHALL US. Tall orange salmon with
 yellow in the throat. Late. L, 3-10¢; 12-35¢.
 BILL SOWDEN G. Large deep blood red.
 L, 2-10¢.
 *BIT OF HEAVEN C. Tall deep orange, decor-
 ative with eight to ten open on a twenty or
 more bud spike. L, 1-25¢, 3-65¢; S, 1-15¢,
 5-50¢.
 *BLUE ADMIRAL US. Clear deep violet. Tall,
 straight spikes. L, 1-10¢, 3-25¢; S, 3-10¢.
 BOB WHITE US. White with dark blotch.
 L, 2-10¢.
 BRIGHTSIDES US. Orange and yellow decora-
 tive. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢; S, 12-15¢.
 BUGLER US. Large lavender. L, 2-10¢.
 CHAMPLAIN C. Early light blue. L, 2-10¢.
 CHRISTABEL US. Large light pink with cream
 throat. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 4-10¢, 12-20¢;
 S, 12-15¢.
 *COMMANDER KOEHL G. Large blood red.
 L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢, 12-40¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-30¢
 S, 12-20¢.
 CORONATION C. Soft salmon pink. L, 2-10¢,
 12-35¢; M, 4-10¢, 12-20¢; S, 12-15¢.
 D. A. HAY NZ. Exhibition pink and cream.
 L, 1-10¢.
 DEBONAIR C. Tall LaFrance pink with long
 flower head. Good grower. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢;
 S, 12-15¢.
 DREAM OF BEAUTY US. Deep American Beauty
 rose. Best in arrangements. L, 2-10¢,
 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.
 *DR. F. E. BENNETT US. Very reliable com-
 mercial scarlet. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢,
 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢, 25-25¢.
 *DUNA C. Soft light pinky buff. L, 2-10¢,
 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

EARLY MELODY US. Tall light lavender, decorative. Early. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢.

ESCORT US. Very early white. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢.

FLAMING METEOR US. Extra good giant red. L, 2-10¢.

*GERTRUDE SWENSON A. Mauve shaded lavender, white in throat. Tall with many 4 inch blooms open. L, 1-15¢; S, 2-10¢, 6-25¢.

GIANT NYMPH US. Tall reliable commercial light pink. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

GLADYS CLEGG A. Very early salmon with blotch. L, 1-10¢.

*GOLDEN CHIMES US. Fine ruffled light yellow. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢, 12-40¢.

GOLDEN CUP C. Very deep yellow. L, 2-10¢.

GOLDEN DREAM C. Old standby yellow. Tall and late. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

HELEN WILLS US. Good white with canary on lower petals. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; S, 12-15¢.

HEREWAKA NZ. Orange red with darker blotch. L, 1-40¢; S, 1-20¢.

HONOR US. Fine clear lavender. Large. L, 1-20¢, 3-50¢.

IRENE S. Salmon rose with cream blotch. Good. L, 1-10¢, 3-25¢; S, 2-10¢, 6-25¢.

*J. S. BACH G. Huge exhibition orange. Early and large. L, 1-10¢, 3-25¢.

KASSEL G. Large bright red. L, 2-10¢.

KOOYONG A. Tall pure white. L, 1-50¢,

LA FIESTA US. Large tall orange. L, 1-20¢.

LAVENDER DELIGHT US. Deeper tone of lavender than Minuet. White in throat

L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

LIBELLE G. Good light blue. L, 2-10¢, 12-40¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-30¢; S, 12-20¢.

LIGHTS OF GOLD US. Ruffled salmon pink, yellow throat, decorative. L, 2-10¢; M, 3-10¢.

LONDONDERRY US. Tall smoky orange. L, 1-15¢, 3-35¢.

LUCIFER A. Bright red with darker blotch. Tall and large. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢.

MAC A. Tall orange scarlet. L, 1-40¢.

*MAID OF ORLEANS G. Outstanding creamy white. A very dependable sort. L, 2-10¢, 12-40¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-30¢; S, 12-15.

MARGARET PETER A. Exhibition white with a crimson blotch. L, 2-10¢; S, 6-10¢.

MARY ANSTEEN US. Rich rose salmon with darker blotch. Fine colored decorative. L, 1-15¢, 4-50¢; M, 1-10¢, 6-50¢; S, 12-40¢.

*MARY ELIZABETH US. Ruffled late white with a creamy throat. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-30¢; S, 12-20¢.

MILDRED LOUISE US. Light strawberry pink with yellow in throat. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

*MILFORD NZ. Tall soft blue violet with many open. L, 1-15¢; M, 1-10¢; S, 2-15¢.

*MINUET US. The standby lavender. L, 2-10¢, 12-40¢; S, 12-25¢, 25-25¢.

MISS ALAMEDA US. Early deep salmon pink with small red blotch. Tall. L, 2-10¢; S, 4-10¢.

MISS NEW ZEALAND NZ. Huge deep salmon pink. A sensation and runner-up to Picardy in its color class in Canadian symposium. L, 1-20¢.

MOTHER MACHREE US. Fine smoky lavender tinged with yellow. L, 2-10¢, 12-40¢; S, 12-15¢.

MRS. LULU HUNT US. Fine early salmon pink. A winner in National Glad shows. L, 1-10¢, 6-50¢; M, 3-25¢, 6-40¢.

MRS. S. A. ERREY A. Exhibition orange. L, 2-10¢, 6-20¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-30¢.

NEW ERA US. New ruffled LaFrance pink. L, 1-75¢.

OLIVE MARIE BROWN US. Soft apricot orange with yellow in the throat. Small flowers on long spike. Fine in arrangements.

L, 2-25¢, 5-50¢.

ORANGE PRINCESS H. Salmon orange. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 4-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

PARADISE US. Tall early apricot shading yellow in throat. L, 1-10¢, 5-40¢.

PEGGY LOU US. Deep shrimp pink. Same parentage as Picardy and similar in growth. Big difference is color. L, 1-\$1.00;

M, 1-75¢; S, 1-50¢.

PFITZER'S TRIUMPH G. Large wide open scarlet. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-30¢.

*PICARDY C. Salmon pink. "Tops" in Glads.

L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢,

S, 12-15¢, 25-25¢.

POLAR ICE G Early pure white. L, 2-15¢, 4-25¢.

QUEEN HELEN II US. Good bright pink with yellow in throat. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢;

M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

QUEEN OF BREMEN US. Lavender pink. Very early, best recommendation. Small, decorative. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢.

RAMSAY MACDONALD G. Deep rich purple.

L, 1-25¢; M, 1-15¢.

RED ADMIRAL H. Early scarlet. L, 2-10¢.

REGENT C. Fine exhibition and commercial red. L, 1-\$1.00; M, 1-60¢; S, 1-40¢.

*REWI FALLU A. Giant massive dark red.

L, 1-50¢; M, 1-25¢; S, 1-15¢.

ROBERT BURNS US. Deep violet blue. Said to be an improved Blue Admiral. L, 1-\$1.00.

ROSE LADY US. Rich mahogany smoky.

L, 1-15¢.

ROSE STANDISH US. Light rose pink.

L, 2-10¢; M, 3-10¢; S, 6-10¢.

SEESTERN G. Rich salmon pink with red blotches. L, 1-10¢, 3-25¢.

SENORITA US. True orange. Old timer, but fine in arrangements. L, 3-10¢, 12-35¢.

SERGEANT MOLLY US. Salmon pink with yellow in throat. Said to stand hot weather.

L, 1-\$5.00.

SHIRLEY TEMPLE US. Large ruffled cream.

Appears to be sensational. L, 1-75¢;

M, 1-40¢; S, 1-20¢.

SMILING MAESTRO US. Fine large true salmon color. L, 2-15¢; M, 2-10¢.

SNOWDEN A. Exhibition white with long spike. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢.

SOUTHERN CROSS NZ. Deep red self that does not burn. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

SPANISH CAVALIER US. Red with cream throat. L, 1-25¢.

SPRAY OF GOLD C. Early deep yellow prim-grand. L, 2-10¢; M, 3-10¢; S, 6-10¢.

*STAR OF BETHLEHEM G. Large exhibition white. L, 2-15¢; M, 2-10¢; S, 3-10¢.

TAIAROA NZ. Large salmon pink flaked slate. L, 2-15¢; M, 2-10¢; S, 4-10¢.

*TAKINA NZ. Huge purple of odd shade. One of the largest glads grown. L, 1-20¢; M, 1-15¢.

TANGERINE A. Tall glowing orange decorative. L, 2-10¢, 6-25¢; M, 3-10¢, 6-20¢; S, 12-25¢.

TANIWHA NZ. Large flowered salmon pink slightly smoky with red blotch. L, 1-40¢.

TERESA US. Pink frosted lavender decorative with many open. L, 1-10¢; M, 2-15¢; S, 2-10¢.

*TIP TOP G. Tall warm red with large flowers. L, 2-15¢.

TREVONIAN US. Rose red, lighter streaks in the throat. Fine in arrangements.

L, 2-10¢, 12-40¢; M, 3-10¢. 12-30¢.

TUNIA'S BLUE A. Deep blue violet. Large florets with 5-7 open. L, 1-\$1.25.

TUNIA'S BLUE WONDER A. Medium light blue. Tall spike with 8-10 medium size blooms open. L, 1-\$1.25.

*VAGABOND PRINCE C. Brilliant garnet brown, lighter in upper throat, flame blotch on lower petals. Color combination wonderful. 8-10 open. L, 1-20¢, 3-50¢; M, 1-15¢, 4-50¢; S, 1-10¢, 6-50¢.

WASAGA C. Beautiful ruffled peach buff. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-35¢.

W. H. PHIPPS US. Still a "wonder glad". Salmon pink with many open. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢.

WINGS OF JOY US. Large light pink with many open. L, 1-15¢, 2-25¢.

WURTEMBERGIA G. Large dazzling red with cream blotch. L, 2-10¢, 12-35¢; M, 3-10¢, 12-25¢; S, 12-15¢.

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LIATRIS PYCNOSTACHYA (Gay Feather) Long spike of brilliant rose purple flowers. Blooms in August and September. Roots with 3 eyes at 10¢ each, 3-25¢.

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